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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A system for producing and distributing printed documents is described. The documents to be produced are classified into one or more document sets. The documents, and associated document processing information is then transmitted to a third party for production. The documents may then be delivered to one or more desired recipients. The documents are classified into document sets according to the document processing information, which may include production parameters, such as, format and media requirements like paper size and ink color. The document processing information can also include information relating to the recipients or production parties, such as printing, billing and delivery specifications.